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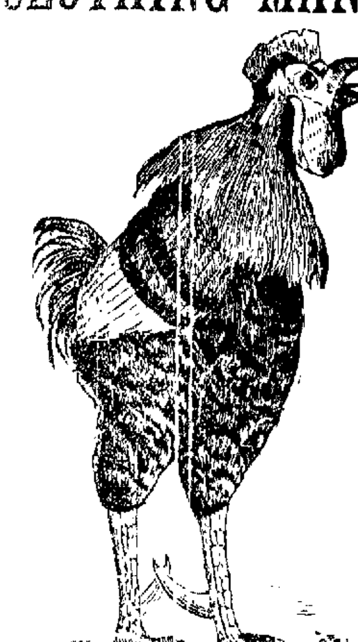

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REMEMBER THE PLACE, and that the New Store, next to Millikin's Bank, ALWAYS HAS THE LOWEST PRICES.

S. HUMPHREYS.

WHY HE MARRIED HER

The Hopkins-Searles Will Contest in Salem, Mass.

MR. SEARLES ON THE WITNESS STAND

He Married the Rich Widow, Twenty-One Years His Senior, for All She Had, Both Love and Money, at Her Request.

SALEM, Mass., Sept 22.—The examination of Edward F. Searles was continued at the afternoon session. He first met Mrs. Hopkins in March, 1883, at San Francisco, going to her house with a letter of introduction to look over the house; met her there several times, going on several excursion into the country twice with her and her daughter-in-law. He then detailed his acquaintance and visits to Mrs Hopkins. The first proposition of marriage between the two came from Mrs Hopkins in New York in the fall of '83. He did not assent to it for a year, but in December, 1884, he entertained the proposition; knew at the time that Mrs. Hopkins was born in 1839 and was twenty-one years his senior; had never previously proposed marriage to any one. Witness could not well help knowing that Mrs. Hopkins was a lady of large means. He delayed accepting the proposition of marriage to give her a chance to be sure that she was satisfied, and after he entertained it delayed marriage for three years. In the spring of '84 went to Florida as the guest of Mrs. Hopkins in her private car. He was accompanied by Miss Cass, of Great Barrington. Witness, from 1885 to 1887, was superintending the building of Mrs. Hopkins house at Great Barrington. He has understood that the son Timothy, in connection with the railroad people, managed her affairs; had been told by Mrs. Hopkins that Timothy objected to the marriage but had cherished no ill will towards him for that. The agreement of marriage was entered into in September, 1887, on witness' part because he greatly admired her. In reply to a question he said that he married her for all she had, both love and money, but should never have married her for money alone. Did not know of the will made the day of the marriage, November 8, 1887, until after her death, but did not think it was intentionally made behind his back.

A marriage contract made at the same time was also put in conveying by Mrs. Hopkins to T. F. Stillman, as trustee, for the benefit of Edward F. Searles after the marriage, the mansion in San Francisco, improved and unimproved land in Sacramento, mountain lands in Summit, Soda Springs, Cal., redwood and timber lands on the coast range, two parcels of quarry lands, the Great Barrington property, and four lots on Ninth street, New York. This contract was canceled June 16, 1888.

The court then adjourned till to-morrow.

The National Game.

The following league and association games were played yesterday:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Boston—
Bostons. . . . . . 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 0— 3
Brooklyns . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 0
Game called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness.

At Pittsburgh—
Clevelands . . . 0 1 3 0 0 1 0 0 *— 5
Pittsburghs. . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2— 2

At New York—
Philadelphias. 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 1— 4
New Yorks . . . 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 3

Second Game—
New Yorks . . . 5 1 0 1 1 3 0 0 0—11
Philadelphias . . 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 3— 5

At Cincinnati—
Chicagos. . . . 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 1 *— 4
Cincinnatis . . . 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0— 1

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At St. Louis—
St. Louis . . . . 3 0 3 0 1 1 2 0—12
Washingtons . . 0 0 1 0 0 8 0 0— 9
Game called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness.

At Columbus—
Columbus. . . . 1 0 0 0 3 0 4 2 0—10
Baltimores. . . . 2 0 1 0 3 0 0 0 2— 8

At Milwaukee—
Bostons. . . . . 2 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 *— 5
Milwaukees. . . 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1— 3

At Louisville—
Louisville Athletic—Rain

Took the Case Under Advisement.

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—The interstate commerce committee heard the conclusion of the arguments yesterday in the case of the town of Eau Claire against the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, and other railroads. H. H. Hayden, representing the Eau Claire business interests, occupied most of the forenoon and argued that the railroads had deliberately established a rate on lumber which was driving lumber manufacturers away from Eau Claire to the towns along the Mississippi.

Judge James H. Howe, attorney for the Chicago, Minneapolis & Omaha road, one of the lines against which the charges are made, denied this, and declared that lumbermen were leaving Eau Claire, not on account of freight rates, but because they could carry on business more cheaply in the new river towns. The commissioners took the case under advisement.

A Frightful Railway Accident.

VIENNA, Sept 23.—A dispatch from Gleiwitz, in Prussian Silesia, gives news of a horrible railroad accident, at the Russian frontier. Two passenger trains collided between Golasconri and Wolbrom. The cars were shattered to splinters, and ten persons were killed and many injured.

Ten Portuguese Killed.

LISBON, Sept. 23.—News has been received to the effect that natives attacked a French mission station in Portuguese Guinea and killed ten Portuguese. A gunboat has gone in pursuit.

On a Pilgrimage to Rome.

VIENNA, Sept. 23.—Three hundred students from Cracow university are on a pilgrimage to Rome.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The Bank of England yesterday shipped $20,000 in gold to the United States.

—Three men have committed suicide in the Cleveland (O.) jail within a week.

—The St. Paul (Minn.) schools will be closed on account of the excessive heat.

—Oscar Drundman, a Chicago packer, shot and killed his wife, yesterday, and then put an end to his own life.

—The exhibition of the holy coat at Treves, ends October 4. It will have been viewed by 2,000,000 people.

—James H. Mead, a well known banker of Sheboygan, Wis., fell dead from heart disease while walking on Seventh street at 10 a. m., yesterday.

—The trial of the Hopkins-Searles will case has begun at Salem, Mass. All of the contestant are present personally or represented by distinguished counsel.

—A false report that Carl Schurz had been bequeathed $1,500,000 on the death of his mother, is promptly denied by Mr. Schurz. His mother died fifteen years ago.

—The correspondent of the London Standard at St. Petersburg says that the Russian government has accepted 79¾ as the price for the new loan of 20,000,000 rubles.

—An attachment for $40,000, has been placed on the property of the Chemical Paper Co. No. 2 at Holyoke, Mass., by the assignees of the old Winona Paper Co.

—A survivor of the Taormina Thessalia disaster accuses the officers of the former vessel of incompetency and the crew with deserting the vessel and helpless passengers.

—William Harriman of California, was shot and mortally wounded by Dr. W. H. Smith, of Eau Clair, Wis., whose store he was burglarizing. A companion of Harriman escaped.

—C. P. Huntington has sold through Drexel, Morgan & Co. 26,000 shares of common stock of Chesapeake & Ohio. The purchase was for a foreign syndicate, and the price paid was about 27.

—The river Dee raised twenty feet, yesterday, by a high tide, flooding the adjacent country for miles. Storms have enormously damaged crops throughout England, north Wales and south Scotland.

—Gen. Booth, of the Salvation Army, addressed a meeting of 15,000 persons at Melbourne Monday evening. He spoke yesterday at a meeting of members of parliament and leading citizens of that city.

—Mayor Wm. R. Alexander, of Winchester, W. Va., has sent his resignation to Judge Clark of the corporation court. Dr. Wm. A. Bell, president of the common council, succeeds Mr. Alexander.

—William S. Higgins, who caused the death of "Aunt Tillie" Hunter, an aged negress, by setting her clothes on fire with a lighted match in a Milwaukee saloon, last September, was yesterday held for murder.

—Dr. Francis A. Schlitz, a wealthy practitioner of Brooklyn, with a wife and child, is missing. He is believed to have eloped with 23 year old Rosie Lobel, a former servant in his family, who has also disappeared.

—A newspaper of Bologna asserts that the Italian government is arranging with the railway companies to enforce a prohibitive tariff on exports of small silver currency, which is rapidly disappearing from that country.

—Hanlan's defeat by McLean has not discouraged him. On the contrary he is now more confident than ever of winning the race on Thursday. His new world beating record, 19 minutes 32½ seconds, has astonished everybody.

—Secretary Foster will go to Ohio about October 1 to assist Maj. McKinley in his campaign in that state. He will make half a dozen speeches, commencing at Toledo. After that his movements will depend on the judgment of the state executive committee.

—The president has appointed the following commission to establish the true boundary between the United States and Mexico: Lieut.-Col. John W. Barlow, U. S. A.; Capt. Thomas W. Symons, U. S. engineers, and Prof. O. T. Mosman, U. S. coast and geodetic survey.

—Two prisoners, William Johnson, bound over for assault, and Samuel Smith, serving a term for assault on a 11 year old girl, broke from the jail at Aberdeen, S. D., Monday night, and are now at large with the sheriff in hot pursuit. They cut a hole in the jail floor.

—The New York Herald's City of Mexico correspondent telegraphs that he has interviewed the secretary of war in regard to the reported revolution in the northern province of Mexico, and that official assures him that there is nothing even resembling a revolution in the section.

The S. V. White Failure in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—The failure of S. V. White & Co.'s branch house here was announced before the board opened and created a good deal of excitement for a short time, but it soon died out. The failure was a complete surprise to the trade in general, who looked upon the house as one of the strongest. They have been a power in the trade and their influence will be missed.

Yesterday afternoon, on motion of Manager Allen of the Chicago branch of the firm, Judge Gresham appointed the Illinois Trust and Savings bank receiver. Lawyer Pursing, who acted for the firm, said:

"The receiver was appointed in order to prevent some creditors attaching the assets of the house and freezing out others to whom the firm is indebted. The assets cannot be ascertained, but the transactions in grain reached into the millions. The failure is due to the continued bulling of September and October corn. The receipts were too large for them and they had to go under. We will know better to-morrow how we stand."

No sooner was the announcement made public that a receiver had been appointed than Chicago creditors began an assault on local assets through the state courts. During the afternoon several attachments, representing small claims, were filled. Writs were handed to the sheriff, but no execution was made. The proceedings are in the nature of garnishee suits, and intended only to bring to light assets.

The Czar to Visit Berlin.

BERLIN, Sept. 23.—The statement in the Cologne Gazette that the czar had accepted an invitation to visit the kaiser at Berlin October 22 appears to be confirmed by the czar's decision to postpone his departure from Copenhagen until October 12, when it is unlikely that he would expose himself to the discomforts of a Baltic voyage.

Stanley's Visit to Brussels.

BERLIN, Sept. 23.—The object of Stanley's visit to the king of the Belgians is to resign his official connection with the Congo state. The post of governor of the Congo state has been offered and declined by a German officer of colonial experience now in Africa.

To Oppose Sir James Fergusson.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—Mr. Scott, of the Manchester Guardian, has been selected by the liberals to oppose Sir James Fergusson for re-election to parliament.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

IT IS ALL SETTLED.

A Million and a Quarter Acres of Land

TAKEN UP AND OCCUPIED IN A DAY.

What Was Yesterday Morning a Trackless Wilderness is To-Day as Thickly Settled as New England—A Plucky Young Woman.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Sept. 23.—The great day has come and gone; another epoch has opened in the wonderful territory of Oklahoma, and to-day a million and a quarter acres of land, at sunrise a wilderness, is thickly settled as New England. Ten thousand people have acquired homes and farms, and a half score of cities have sprung up as if by magic.

Couriers from Tohee, Langston, Perkin, and Cimarron City late last night reported all quiet on the line of Indian lands. There are reports of deadly affrays, but nothing authentic. There will undoubtedly be trouble at the northern county seat, and the troops were ordered there last night. About 300 came in last night from the claims and are lying in front of the land office.

At 1 o'clock Miss Dorkey Jones, a handsome young lady of Arcadia, O. T., arrived at the land office and took her place in the line. She had beaten forty men in the race for a fine claim and then ridden twenty-five miles to file and stood in line all night.

At a late hour last night three riderless horses came into town, one having blood on its saddle. Evidently somebody has been shot.

An old man named Jameson was thrown from a horse and fatally injured. The people are still coming in, every train last night being crowded. Hundreds slept on the platform and under door awnings.

Swamped by S. V. White & Co.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 23.—Rea Brothers & Co., local correspondents in this city of S. V. White & Co., New York and Chicago, have sent the United Press the following statement:

S. V. White & Co. have for some time been our correspondents in New York and Chicago. We had direct wire connection with their offices and they substantially transacted all our business in the exchanges in those cities. We had yesterday deposited with them over $74,300 in cash. We had in addition large accounts of grain securities in their hands for sale. We were startled at 10:30 yesterday to receive a message from them stating they had closed out all our affairs yesterday morning and had made an assignment. We have so far been unable to get a statement from Mr. White as to how or when he proposes to adjust our accounts, and have decided to decline all business until we know where we stand.

Rea Brothers & Co., will, if possible, likely settle with their customers dollar for dollar and again resume business after their settlement with S. V. White & Co.

The McCarthy-Warren Glove Contest.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 23.—Though numerous obstacles were placed in the way of the management of the McCarthy-Warren glove contest the affair came off last night and from a pugilistic standpoint was one of the best which has ever taken place in the arena of the old Olympic club. Contrary to expectation McCarthy won handily and proved himself an excellent boxer and as clever a ring general as ever donned gloves.

Throughout the twenty-one rounds of the fight he had a shade the best of it. About $20,000 changed hands on the result, and the outcome of the contest was contrary to general expectations. The talent lost heavily, the odds during the day having been three to five against Warren, and six to five against McCarthy.

Forest Fires in Wisconsin.

ASHLAND, Wis., Sept. 23.—Forest fires are doing immense damage in this section. Several homesteaders near the reservation have lost their shanties and barely escaped with their lives. Timber is very dry and burns like shavings.

Reports from down the Omaha road say that the damage will be the heaviest ever known unless the flames are checked. Over a hundred acres are said to be a mass of flames. The telegraph wires are down.

A Bad Wreck.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Sept. 23.—A bad wreck occurred on the Western & Atlantic railroad last night at Smyrna, Ga., 15 miles from Atlanta. Fireman Cox was killed outright and Engineer Hockney was badly hurt and two mail clerks slightly injured. The accident was caused by a passenger train running into an open switch and crashing into a freight. No passengers were injured.

Arraigned for Robbing the Mails.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 23.—Edward H. Davis, a blacksmith, and Joseph H. Newton, a letter carrier, were arraigned yesterday on a charge of robbing the United States mails. While both were drunk Monday night they were seen to tear up a number of letters and scatter the fragments in a vacant lot. They were turned over to the custody of the United States commissioner.

Placed in the Hands of a Receiver.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 23.—The Southern Gas Trust and Construction ..., controling and operating the ...ka Gaslight and Fuel Co., and the ...sville Light and Fuel Co., has been placed in the hands of a receiver. Most of the stockholders reside in the north.

The Insurrection in Yemen.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 23.—The governor of Yemen and all Turkish officials have fled from Sana. The insurgents have captured Odeira. There is great alarm for fear the insurgents may advance on Mecca and proclaim an Arabian caliph.

A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man.

Are you Bilious, Constipated or troubled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, Bad Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Coated Tongue, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Hot, Dry Skin, Pain in Back and Between the Shoulders' Chills and Fever, &c. If you have any of these symptoms, your Liver is out of order and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your Liver does not act properly. HERBINE will cure any disorder of the Liver, Stomach or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver Medicine. Price, 75 cents. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. d&w

Wood Pumps, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. nov5-d&wtf

WILL ABANDON POLYGAMY.

Joseph F. Smith, of Salt Lake City Returns from a Six Years' Exile.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Sept. 23.—Joseph F. Smith, a member of the presidency of the Church of Latter Day Saints, returned from his long exile Monday night. Six years ago Smith was indicted by the grand jury for polygamy. Hearing of this he escaped and went to the Sandwich islands, but returned to the United States, and has been in hiding ever since. Last week he was pardoned by President Harrison. The pardon reached here Monday and a few hours afterwards Smith appeared in the city. He says he intends to conform to the law hereafter.

Suspended but Not Closed.

BUTLER, Pa., Sept. 23.—The Butler County bank, of Millerstown, owned by H. J. Hoyt, suspended payment a week ago, but has not closed its doors. The deposits aggregate only $26,450 and Mr. Hoyt says that his assets amount to $30,000 and if he can obtain assistance for a few days he will be able to pull through. The embarrassment is creating a panic in Millerstown and judgments were entered against a number of residents of that village yesterday. Owen Brady, a prominent oil operator and land owner, assigned yesterday to L. M. Wise. He was a former stockholder of the bank, and is said to be on Mr. Hoyt's paper.

Probably the Missing Mrs. Rathbun.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Sept. 23.—The remains of an unknown woman with a bullet hole through her head were found yesterday morning below Cedar island. The dead woman was handsomely dressed and wore expensive jewelry including some diamonds. It is believed it is a case of suicide. She was apparently from Chicago. A ticket on the Illinois Central from Woodlawn to Pullman, and a moonstone inscribed "Dell to Charlie, February 26, 1864," was found on her. She was about 40 years of age.

It is believed that the remains are those of Mrs. Charles H Rathbun, who mysteriously disappeared in Chicago a short time ago.

Given Out to the Newspapers.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 23.—District Attorney Graham yesterday gave out to the newspapers the much-talked-of correspondence between Auditor General McCamant and Cashier Livsey on the one side, and John Bardsley on the other, which, it is contended only needed the corroborative evidence of Bardsley himself to enable Mr. Graham to frame a criminal indictment against Mr. McCamant.

The letters are in general acknowledgment of favors more favorable than any before referred to in print, and there is an entire lack of any mention of "neck ties and handkerchiefs."

Asphyxiated by Burning Gas.

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—Annie Strauss was found dead in her bed at 2455 Prairie avenue yesterday morning. The room was full of gas, which was escaping from a burner partially turned on. Death was caused by asphyxiation.

Miss Strauss returned Monday night from a visit to friends in Ligonier, Ind. She retired about 10:30 o'clock, and it is supposed that, being tired and sleepy, she failed to turn the gas entirely off.

Cigar Makers' Strikes for the Year.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 23.—At the meeting of the International Cigar Makers' union yesterday the president referred to the strikes which had taken place during the past year, and said that these numbered 134 and had cost the union $48,792.

The Crisis in the Italian Cabinet.

ROME, Sept. 23.—The crisis in the cabinet is increasing in consequence of a difference of opinion in the ministry, on levying fresh taxes made necessary by the increased cost of the army and navy.

A Little Girl's Experience in a Lighthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter, four years old. Last April she was taken down with Measles, followed with a dreadful Cough and turning into a Fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated her, but in vain, she grew rapidly worse, until she was a mere "handful of bones."—Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get a trial bottle free at King & Wood's drug store. 6m

CASHIER—"Do you know when double entry was first used?" Book-keeper—"Yes; when the animals entered the ark two by two."

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c at King & Wood's Drug Store. 6m

HARDFEATURE—"My wife is near-sighted." Jimpson (gazing long at Hardfeature)—"One would think she was blind."

A CURE FOR CHRONIC DIARRHŒA.—Mrs. E. Gleason, of Salem, Dent Co., Mo., writes as follows: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured me of chronic diarrhoea after years of standing, when it seemed I could live no longer, I was growing so weak. I had tried several doctors in this state and several in Iowa, but they could do nothing for me. I was finally induced to try a bottle of your medicine. After using three bottles of it I was entirely cured. I cannot say enough in its praise. I wish that every family knew the worth of it as I do, and I am sure they would never do without it." For sale by W. F. Neisler, druggist. d&w

Special Assessment Notice

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessments upon the property benefitted by the following local improvement: The extension of the alley running north and south between North Broadway street and North Morgan street, from its present northern terminus north of East Marietta street, north to the south line of East Orchard street, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in the state of Illinois, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that a warrant for the collection of such special assessments is in the hands of the undersigned. All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially assessed, at the collector's office, No. 247 North Main street, in said city, being the city clerk's office, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this 5th day of Sept., A. D. 1891.

Sept 7-d30 L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

Relating to the Operation of Street Railways.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Decatur:

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person, persons, or corporation operating or having charge of any street railway car, to pass over any railroad crossing, upon which are operated locomotives and cars propelled by steam, until such street car shall have been brought to a full stop ten feet from such crossing, and when there is no flagman, gates, or other proper signal to designate the approach of a train, then before passing over such crossing, the person or persons in charge of any street railway car, shall go upon such crossing and ascertain whether a train is approaching in such manner as will prevent danger to persons or property. Any person, persons or corporation violating this ordinance shall suffer a penalty of not less than five dollars ($5.00) nor more than two hundred dollars ($200.00) for each and every offense. This ordinance shall be in force in ten days after its legal publication.

Passed this 21st day of September, A. D. 1891.

Approved this 22d day of September, A. D. 1891.

H. C. SCANLAN, Mayor pro tem.

Attest: L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss.

In the County Court, of the August Term, A. D. 1891.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel F. Tiery, deceased,

vs.

Nancy A. Seckman, et al.

Petition to sell real estate to pay debts.

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of the order and decree of said court in said cause rendered at said term, I, Albion Daggett, as the executor of the estate of the said Samuel T. Tiery, deceased, will, on

SATURDAY, the 3rd day of October, 1891,

at the hour of three o'clock on the afternoon of said day, at the premises in the city of Macon, Macon County, Illinois, at public vendue, sell to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The south half of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty-three in township fifteen, north, and range two (2), east of the Third Principal Meridian.

Upon the following terms, to-wit: Cash in hand on day of sale.

ALBION DAGGETT, Executor, Etc.

Mills Bros. & Mills, Sol's for petitioners. sa&w4w

J. M. LEE and J. M. GRAY, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE—State of Illinois Macon County, s. s. In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D. 1891.

Martin Maier & Company vs. Lansford S. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners in the firm name of Butler and Dempsey.

Affidavit having been filed in said above entitled cause, in the office of the clerk of said court, showing among other things that both the above named defendants, Lansford S. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey are non-residents of the state of Illinois, and the said suit having been commenced at the suit of the said above named plaintiffs, Martin Maier & Company, and against the estate of the above named defendants, Lansford S. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as aforesaid, for the sum of two hundred and thirty-three dollars and fifty-three cents ($233.53), and that a writ of attachment issued out of said clerk's office, returnable to the September term of the Circuit Court of the said Macon county, in which court said suit is now pending. Now, therefore you, the said Lansford S. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, are hereby notified that a suit entitled as above has been commenced and is now pending against you in said court for the amount above stated, and that the writ therein has been levied your estate, and unless you shall be and appear at said court at the next September term thereof, to be holden in the city of Decatur, in said Macon county, on the fourth Monday in the month of September, A. D. 1891, give bail and plead within the time limited for your appearance in such case, judgment will be entered against you and the estate so attached will be sold to satisfy the sum.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

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Special Tax Notice.

In the matter of the levy and assessment of special taxes for the construction of a sewer.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the City Council of the City of Decatur, having ordered that a sewer shall be constructed, commencing at and connecting with a slant joint opening on the west side of Broadway Street Sewer opposite the alley running east and west between East William street and East Prairie street, which said sewer is to be constructed from its said beginning point, westward, on the central point of said alley, to the east line of Jackson street, in the city of Decatur, the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the City Clerk, have applied to the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, for the levy and assessment of the cost of said improvement, except the street and alley intersections and crossings, upon the abutting property according to frontage; and an assessment or special tax roll thereof having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had at the October term, 1891, of said court, commencing on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1891. All persons desiring may then and there appear and make their defense.

Decatur, Illinois, September 18, 1891.

J. Q. A. ODOR,
JACOB SINE,
C. H. BOTTENHORN,
Commissioners.

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Special Assessment Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessment upon the property benefitted by the following local improvement. The construction and laying of a certain sewer in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in the state of Illinois, commencing at and connecting with a slant joint opening on the west side of Broadway Street Sewer, at the center of Bradford street, which said sewer is to be constructed from said beginning point, westward on said Bradford St. to a point twenty (20) feet west of the east line of North Water street, together with all connections, Y junctions, catch basins, man holes, openings and adjuncts pertaining thereto, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that a warrant for the collection of such special assessments is in the hands of the undersigned. All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially assessed at the collectors' office, No. 247 North Main street, in said city, being the city clerk's office, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this 22d day of September, A. D. 1891.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

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Notice of Executrix.

Estate of Ann M. Stamper, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of Ann M. Stamper, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23d day of September, 1891.

JOSEPHINE A. STAMPER, Executrix as Aforesaid.

sep23-d3w

Special Assessment Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessments upon the property benefitted by the following local improvement: The widening of East Eldorado street, between North Main street and North Water street, to the width of eighty feet, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in the state of Illinois, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that a warrant for the collection of such special assessments is in the hands of the undersigned. All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially assessed at the collector's office, No. 247 North Main street, in said city, being the city clerk's office, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this 5th day of Sept., A. D. 1891.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

Sept. 7 d30

Administratrix' Notice.

Estate of Elijah P. Moore, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Elijah P. Moore, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the November term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 19th day of September, 1891.

MARY E. MOORE, Administratrix.

sep19d3w

Executor's Notice.

Estate of Francis T. Seely, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of Francis T. Seely, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the November term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of September, 1891.

S. M. SEELY, Executrix.

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WEDNESDAY EVE SEPT 23 1891

Don't Like the Keeley Cure

Miss Frances L Willard has laid herself open to the charge of fast becoming regarded as being [illegible] The position she has taken in relation to the Keeley cure is entirely [illegible] in all its parts and puts her in the attitude of one whose prejudices has usurped her reason She [illegible]

The Keeley cure is being boomed by [illegible] for political purposes Dr [illegible] has merit in it and is a [illegible] but it is held up and emphasized [illegible] newspapers beyond its true [illegible] Watch and see if [illegible] and more from [illegible] month until the close of the [illegible] Presidential campaign Both of the great political parties will exalt [illegible] on local option Keeley cure anything in fact except prohibition [illegible] that they [illegible]

Why the press should boom the cure [illegible] for political purposes is hard to see Miss Willard of course [illegible] the Republican and the Democratic [illegible] must be inferred that [illegible] expects by booming [illegible] injure the Prohibition [illegible]

[illegible] 1884 to 1888 Miss Willard's Prohibition party gained [illegible] votes while [illegible] same period the Republican and Democratic parties gained something [illegible] votes or over [illegible] times [illegible] as the Prohibition party's [illegible] From 1884 [illegible] the Prohibition party gained [illegible] while in the same period the [illegible] over [illegible] votes as the total Pro[illegible] gains and all This [illegible] argues that the Prohibition party at present organized [illegible] The figures just [illegible] does not meet the [illegible] material con[illegible] to action

[illegible] well known [illegible] the danger of the [illegible] taking the place of [illegible] not appear worthy [illegible] for these reasons would [illegible] likely to aim the Keeley [illegible] political purposes

[illegible] because it is doing [illegible] practical basis It appeals to [illegible] of men and because it is [illegible] not only the press but good [illegible] who [illegible] from bigot [illegible] applaud [illegible] will exalt [illegible] prohibition, which [illegible] cannot swallow [illegible] way of putting it Miss W[illegible] the Prohibition party in [illegible] It is the party which [illegible] still eschewed by [illegible] the principle of pro[illegible] The press favors the redemp[illegible] from the horrible results [illegible] intemperance [illegible] with pleasure [illegible] method which promises [illegible] results This accounts for the [illegible] in the Keeley cure [illegible] of the ruin of [illegible] restores them whole to [illegible] and friend This kind of [illegible] the respect of all right [illegible] It has redeemed more [illegible] the Prohibition [illegible] behind [illegible] the period of its exis[illegible]

[illegible] which [illegible] party by direction [illegible] Willard [illegible] long since sent a [illegible] to investigate the [illegible] That committee [illegible] their drunkards [illegible] They wanted to [illegible] Dr Keeley [illegible] was to [illegible] failed to de[illegible] Prohibition party [illegible] became [illegible] twelve [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] promptly [illegible] [illegible] drunkards [illegible] the Keeley [illegible] principles [illegible] Willard people are [illegible] spirit of bigotry [illegible] how much [illegible] to fight on [illegible] driven into [illegible] they were [illegible] power and re[illegible] Sunday [illegible] as well [illegible] The [illegible]

Campbell's Brilliant Tactics

[illegible] this which our [illegible] discovered bristled [illegible] tactics is beginning to [illegible] Major McKinley [illegible] himself with it Campbell [illegible] that the period between 1850 and 1860 was the golden age of the country [illegible] Major McKinley replied by [illegible] in spite of our trade advantages of that period on account of the Mexican War the discovery of gold in California, the famine in Ireland and the European war which ought to have made [illegible] prosperous under any tariff both Presidents Fillmore and Buchanan urged Congress to adopt a protective tariff to start the country on the road to prosperity

He then got down to the quick in the skinning process and said

Buchanan, a Democrat, said in his message that most of the gold we mined too easily went to Europe to buy foreign goods, and our families were without a home market. Who was right? James Campbell or James Buchanan? Campbell said that from 1850 to 1860 was the golden period, and there was not a tramp in the country James Buchanan, in a Presidential message to Congress, said our manufactories were suspending our public works and civil enterprise abandoned and thousands of our workmen thrown out of employment to become tramps Which was the more creditable witness James Campbell talking for political effect in 1891 or James Buchanan writing a Presidential message in 1857 [Laughter]

The truth was that from 1850 to 1860 was the most disastrous period in our history Our credit was gone our home market was gone We could not borrow money without discounting the government's bonds They were discounted at 12 per cent and bore 6 per cent interest the government thus paying 18 per cent for the money borrowed Even then we could not borrow money and a Democratic Secretary of the Treasury asked Congress to beg the States to go bail for the General Government by indorsing our bonds

Think of the President of the United States asking the States to go bail for Uncle Sam in the golden period of our history [Cheers and laughter] We do not have to ask for bail now [Cheers] We borrow now at [illegible] per cent and sell our bonds at a premium rather than a discount and we have to pay for the privilege of paying off our debts

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Bocker Lyda	Lucas Mary
Bradshaw Ed	Martin John
Collins J B	Miller Etta ?
Cox Alex	Morgan L J
Creighan B	Osborn Etta
Davis Lizzie	Pitchard J
Davis Losa	Shanahan Tom
Dimmock Geo	Schrader Emma
Doherty Nell A	Siffert Jake
Etherton Jenny	Smith L Q
Cutler Hugh	Smith T J ?
H[illegible] W A	Snodgrass Geo M
Hart Anna	Stratton W E
Howland M C	Tiff W K ?
Ho[illegible] Mr	Ward Lewis J
Ja[illegible] Wm	Wilson V C
Jones Mattie	Worthim M J
	[illegible] HUBBARD F M

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Japanned Bird Cages	[illegible]
Clothes Wringers	$1 90
The Novelty Wringer only	2 00
Tubs	50c and [illegible]
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GOOD COOK WANTED —$3 00 per week no wash ng to a good cook at No 456 North Main street corner Eldorado 18 d1w

LOST A lady's black feather boa, on the Millikin [illegible] road Thursday evening Sept [illegible] for which a liberal reward will be paid for its return to this office 1sd1w

BALED HAY—Can be purchased for $13 50 per ton in lots of 500 pounds up by leaving orders at Kazar Bros blacksmith shop at 325 East Main street or call upon Colonel Mathias or Fred Mathias 1sd1w

I HAVE found some fine bargains in Nebraska and Iowa lands which are sure to advance soon They will pay a big profit Call and invest JOHN A BROWN sept10-dtime

LOST—A black shopping bag, with a pocket book enclosed containing $4 in money a watch chain and locket and a few other [illegible] bles somewhere on the road between Casner and Decatur A reward will be paid for its return to this office sept1 dtf

LOST—On West Cerro Gordo street at a point about opposite the Short Line electric car [illegible] September 9 a memorandum book containing $0 in bills three tens at [illegible] The book has been found but the money is missing The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning the money to the owner J R PETERSON at 1024 North College street 9-d2w*

FOR SALE —Horse harness and side bar buggy for sale at low figure if purchased within a few days Apply at 53 North Monroe street or at Bicycle Head quarters 114 Library Block. sep16-d6

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WANTED—500 houses to paper and carpet before Christmas Call at ABEL'S CARPET HO[illegible] and [illegible] prices Sept24-dtf

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WANTED—Second hand stoves and furniture for which we will pay cash Bargain in second hand goods WALKER & CHANCE [illegible] North Main st

R. [illegible] DICKINSON Architect and Builder, Plans and specifications for new buildings and estimates of cost furnished on application Office over Logan & Belk's grocery store on Merchant street oct19-dtf

WANTED—An active reliable man salary $[illegible] to $80 monthly with increase to represent in his own section a responsible New York house References MANUFACTURER dec17 Lock Box 1585 New York

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts [illegible] on live stock farm imple[illegible]

ments or household goods All classes of loans negotiated on short notice Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest Apply to A F SUMMERS over Boston Store July16d&wtf

WANTED—Everybody to know that they can save money by buying their paints oils varnishes and brushes at Blank & Grass paint and wall paper store The following quotations will speak for themselves Strictly pure white lead Corroder's brands $6 00 Boiled linseed oil 65c, everything else at proportionately low prices. Sole agents for the Harrison Bros colors [illegible] the best in the world m15-dtf

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NURSERY STOCK—It will soon be time to set shade trees and all kinds of nursery stock Remember the Decatur Nursery Co located west of the city They sell the best trees in the country Plant the celebrated California Poplar shade tree HENRY FINCHER General Manager j27 dtf

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Special Tax Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the County court of Macon county in the state of Illinois has rendered judgment for a special tax upon the property benefited by the following local improvement The paving and improving of the alley running north and south between North Main street and North Water street from the south line of East Prairie street south to the north line of East Main street in the city of Decatur in Macon county in the state of Illinois as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office that a warrant for the collection of such special taxes is in the hands of the undersigned All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially taxed at the collector's office No [illegible] North Main St in said city [illegible] city clerk's office within thirty days from the date hereof

Dated this 5th day of Sept A D 1891
[illegible] City Clerk
Sept 7-d30

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook county Illinois in favor of Thomas Cartwright vs Harvey B Evans I will offer the following described property to wit Lot [illegible] in H B Evans' sub division of a part of the Northwest quarter [illegible] of section 15 township sixteen north range two east of the third principal meridian in Macon county Illinois according to the plat recorded in book [illegible] at page 3[illegible] of records [illegible] Macon [illegible] Said property [illegible] the property of Harvey B Evans which I shall offer at public [illegible] at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur [illegible] Macon county said state on Thursday the 1st day of October A D 1891 at 10 o'clock a m of said day for cash in hand to satisfy said execution

Dated this [illegible] day of September A D 1891
[illegible]
Sept 9-d3w Sheriff Macon County Illinois

WM. T. CUSSINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC

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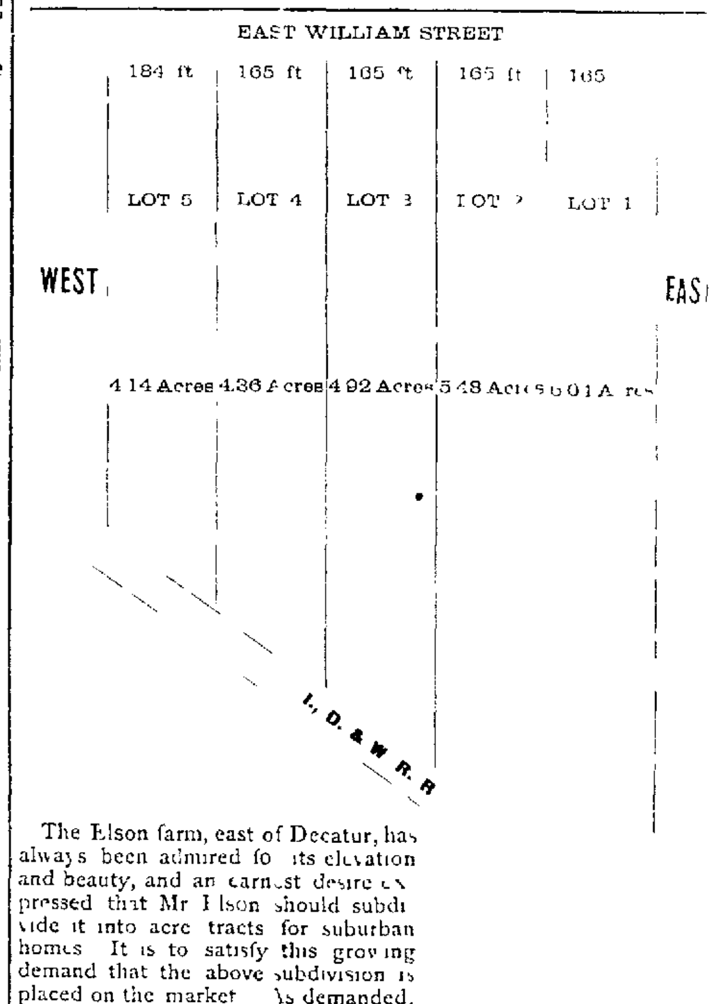

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LEGAL.

D C CORLEY, Attorney

ATTACHMENT NOTICE State of Illinois Macon County ss In the Circuit Court to the September Term 1891 B A Arnstine H W Arnstine and J Mier partners under the firm name of Arnstine Bros & Mier vs J F Butler and F W Dempsey partners doing business under the firm name of Butler & Dempsey An affidavit having been filed according to law in my office showing that said defendants J F Butler and F W Dempsey upon due inquiry cannot be found Therefore Public notice is hereby given to the said J F Butler and F W Dempsey that a writ of attachment has issued out of the Circuit Court of Macon County Illinois at the suit of the above named Arnstine Bros & Mier for the sum of sixty four dollars and seventy five cents principal and interest thereon against the estate of said Butler & Dempsey returnable at the September term of said Circuit Court to be held at the court house in Decatur, Macon County, Illinois on the fourth Monday in September 1891 and unless said defendants shall appear give bail, and plead within the time limited for their appearance in said cause judgment will be entered against them and the goods attached will be sold

F McCLELLAN,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill
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D C. CORLEY, Attorney

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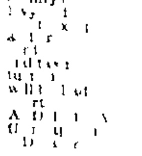

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Lunch at Wood's.

The Wangelin Steele wedding will occur this evening

Swiss Bell Ringers—Riverside Park—Wednesday night

Smoke the Joe Michl Little Rose cigars They will suit you

French Tissue Papers at Irwin's Pharmacy.

Smoke the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25-dtf

Step in at W. A Combs' restaurant and try those oyster stews and fries

Dreiz & Son, contracting brick layers, 123 Merchant street jan14 dtf

Select the White Loaf or Daily Bread flour and you will always have good bread

Fruits for canning in quantities to suit at May & Churchman's grocery store

Family groceries oysters, fresh lake fish and fruits at Henry Flynn's store, 600 East Eldorado street

Salted almonds at Wood's

Walter M Lowney's finest chocolates at Ralph Templeton's Pharmacy 16d1w

Call at Hanks & Co's, 143 South Water street, and order superior family groceries Country butter a specialty

The Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town mar25 dtf

Brand & Grass is the place to buy your Paints, Wall Paper and Window Shades apr25-dtf

The Smith Bell Ringers will be at Riverside Park to-night, when a varied entertainment will be given for the small cost of 10c

Beautiful Mantels, at very reasonable prices, at Lytle & Eckels Hardware Company tf

The finest candies in the city at Wood's

Decatur Champaign capitalists think they can find natural gas at that city They are boring for it. The hole is 200 feet deep, and 190 feet of tubing has been inserted.

Dreiz & Son, Contracting Brick Layers, office with Hunter Bros, real estate agents, 123 Merchant street Estimates given on all kinds of brick work j14 dtf

Sandwiches and coffee at Wood's.

Sarah Bernhardt at McVicker's Theatre, Chicago, has seven plays in her repertoire, among which are "Cleopatra" "La Tosca," "Camille" "Fedora," "Theodora," etc She will be seen at McVickers', opening October 5

Our Fast Black Hose will not fade, and will outwear any that has yet been produced. Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Co d&w

About 20 members of the Crescent lawn tennis club picniced at Riverside yesterday afternoon Lawn tennis was played until the shades of night began to fall, when the party enjoyed a splendid picnic supper. Boat riding by moonlight was afterwards enjoyed

You cannot be too particular about the medicines you use When you need a blood purifier, be sure you get Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and no other It will mingle with, purify, and vitalize every drop of blood in your body It makes the weak strong

At Sidney on September 29 and 30 there will be a soldiers' reunion and Odd Fellows' picnic, to be addressed by Governor Fifer, M W Mathews Judge Wright, Rev F C Bruner and Grand Master Wheatley

Jno A Brady & Co are prepared to do the best work in embalming, using the arterial system, which will keep a body any number of months Will direct funerals and supply the best grades of caskets and coffins at lowest rates Store west side Old Square Sept 5 d1m

Tuesday at Chicago the receipts of cattle 12,000 were made up of 3,000 Texans, 4,000 rangers, the remainder natives. Trade slow and prices again weak on everything except a few fancy natives and rangers Receipts of hogs, 15,000, slow and 5 to 10 cents low on common and packers, but steady on prime corn-fed heavy and light, rough and common, $4 50 to $4 75, good mixed and packers, $4 80 to $5 10, prime heavy and butcher weights, $5 25 to $5 40, Philas, $5 50 to $5 60, prime light, $5 to $5 20 second class, $4 75 to $5 Receipts of sheep, 7,000 slow and 25 cents lower on sheep but steady on lambs

Do You Know It?

A common Cough is the most dangerous thing in the world to neglect, a slight hacking Cough is also very dangerous, as it always leads to Bronchitis and Consumption Don't neglect them. In selecting a remedy for Coughs Colds and Bronchitis be sure and get one that is not full of Opium and one that will not produce constipation Ballard's Horehound Syrup does not constipate, remember this It is perfectly harmless for children, and it's the most soothing and healing Throat and Lung medicine in the world It cures Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat Asthma Whooping Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Sore Lungs, tickling in the throat and greatly strengthens the Lungs after Pneumonia Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 1

Gypsum City,

Saline county, Kan, is where the clay is ground and calcined that the Acme Cement Wall Plaster is made of—500 per cent harder than the hardest lime coat. Drying thoroughly in 36 hours in freezing weather Seventy five houses are plastered with it in Decatur The new St Nicholas and the new court house will be plastered with it throughout You can not afford to use anything else at the price Call and let us show you the Acme. V H Parke & Son. sept19-d2w Sole Agents

The Night School

At Brown's Decatur Business College will open Monday, September 28, at 7 p. m. Advantages better and expenses lower than ever before offered. For full information call at the College, Library Building, or address the principal, E. P. Irving.

A STORY FROM LINCOLN.

Investigation of Charges Against a Clergyman of Note.

The following telegram appeared in Tuesday's *Globe-Democrat*, telling of a church investigation at the neighboring city of Lincoln:

Lincoln, Ill., Sept. 21.—The First Presbyterian church of this city has ordered an investigation of the past history and conduct of its present pastor, who assumes charge of the church a couple of weeks ago. When the pastor came here it was under the name of Rev. V. M. Riordan, a reformed Catholic priest of Queensland, Australia His sermons were eloquent and deep. He delivered lectures on Australia and pretended to expose the sins and horrors of Romanism and its institutions Shortly after arriving he was called to supply the pulpit of the church for a year, the regular pastor, Rev. Charles E Schauble, asking for and and being granted a vacation for a year to recuperate his failing health. On Riordan assuming the place tendered him he changed his name to that of Keith Ruthven, advancing as a reason that it was in obedience to the request of a wealthy uncle, who agreed to make him an heir to his estate, valued at $250,000. In his explanations he produced papers from the civil and ecclesiastical courts of Australia entitling him to make the change, and they appeared to be straight Last week Rev. James Tuohy, pastor of St Patrick's Catholic church, began inquiring into the antecedents of the new comer and discovered that he was a patient of the Dwight, Ill., sanitarium for the liquor habit. A letter from Dwight, written by a prominent citizen, made other serious charges, and on Sunday morning the letter was read from the altar of St Patrick's church by the priest. It developed later that a British-American and anti Catholic publication had mercilessly scored Riordan as the companion and associate of Margaret Sheppard, an alleged "escaped nun." These things coming to the notice of the Presbyterian church compelled the official board to inquire into the charges, which they are doing now diligently and energetically, aided by Rev Ruthven, who demands a rigid investigation, and claims that he is the victim of persecution and alleges that this is the 13th time he has been thus treated. One serious charge has already been disproved, and the Presbyterians are confident that Ruthven will come out of the ordeal unscathed The affair has caused a profound sensation, and very interesting, as well as racy features, are promised within the next week

Later information is to the effect that one of the principal charges has been proven to be false and the board hopes that the preacher will come out of the trial without conviction.

Lecture

Mr Percival Chubb, who is not only a close student of art and literature, has also given the social problems of the present time considerable thought. He gave his last lecture last night at the Woman's Club House in the presence of a large and appreciative audience. His topic was "The Future of the Workers and the Work." In the course of the discussion Mr Chubb gave a review of the working people in the old and new countries, and presented many commendable ideas for the improvement of the social and material conditions of those who are compelled to earn their living by the sweat of their brows In the larger cities Mr Chubb has come in contact with the great question of labor which is so generally discussed He is a worker himself in his special field, and his sympathies go out to the working people, whose condition it is his endeavor to improve. The lecture was listened to with marked interest

Chapman—Casner.

The wedding of Miss Ermina Casner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs L B. Casner, and Mr A B. Chapman, of Casner Station, was solemnized at 4 p. m, September 22d, at the parsonage of the United Brethren church, Rev J A F King officiating It was a very quiet marriage, the attendants being Mrs Casner, mother of the bride, and John Casner Mr. Chapman is a farmer, and the couple will make their home on his place near Casner Station

Sol Ray, the engineer at the Citizens' electric street railway power station, will soon take a recreation trip He is mashed on the Veiled Prophet, and will go to St Louis in October to take in the wonderful pageant While there he will visit the power stations and pass judgment on St. Louis methods of producing electricity

The friends of Robert Spalding will be pleased to learn that he is convalescent. He has been confined to his room three weeks with an attack of typhoid fever, but is now able to sit up and think hopefully of the bright days to come when he will be permitted to go out and mingle with his companions.

Those who are interested in the merits of the various cough medicines should read the statement of Mr S B. Walker, a prominent citizen and druggist at Calamus, Iowa. It is as follows "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for eight years, and it has given universal satisfaction to my customers I use no other in my family, and have never called a doctor for any throat or lung trouble. We feel that we could not keep house without it" 50 cent bottles, for sale by W F Nestler, druggist. d&w

Special attention is called to the new advertisement of the Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Company Their immense stock and great variety of dress goods, silks, ladies' wraps and carpets are worth the attention of all who are seeking high class novelties. Their large and constantly increasing sales create a demand for new, fresh goods every day, and this demand is supplied by the best talent at home and in New York, by cash purchasers from first hands, which is a guarantee of low prices to consumers sept7d&wtf

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To Whom It May Concern.

The old sewer from North street to West Main street is abandoned. All parties interested are notified to make connection with the Union Street sewer Sept 17-d6

Call for the Hats.

The habit of boys of various sizes jumping on the electric cars on East Eldorado street has become so annoying that the motormen have taken a novel method of putting a stop to it. They capture the hat of every boy they can, and take it to the office of Manager Ferguson, and leave it there to be called for by the owner, or the parent of the boy. To day there are five hats of different sizes and styles at the office of the Citizens' company, the total value being something like five dollars. Manager Ferguson requests that the parents of the boys on East Eldorado street, who have gone home and reported that they have lost their hats, to call at the office and get the same In this way Manager Ferguson hopes to get the names of the offending boys, so that they may be given final notice to stop jumping on the cars to avoid arrest. If the hats are not called for within a reasonable time, there will be an auction sale of the collection on Lincoln Square, and the proceeds will be donated to some charitable object.

The New Comedy.

"The Devil's Editor," to be given at the Grand Saturday night, may not be "the prettiest, merriest," etc., but it is as good as the average farce-comedy, and better than some that have been produced on our stage and are still going the rounds of the theatres. It is a strange conglomeration of singing, dancing and stage contortion without much plot — the groundwork being the adventures of two married men, one a newspaper editor, who has a flirtation with a prima donna and a "society bud," and who try to hide it from their wives, but the plot in a farce-comedy is a minor consideration, the most important requisite being entertainment. There is plenty of entertainment in "The Devil's Editor," and it is the kind that will please lovers of farce-comedy. The songs and dances are new and amusing, one of the former descriptive of two green Irishmen—being about the best thing in that line.

Anson to Go On the Stage

Chicago, Sept 21—Capt Adrian Con Anson is about to become an actor. He is an intimate friend of Hoyt, the humorist, and the pair have come to an understanding For years the clever farce writer has had a theory that the captain would make a great center piece for his odd conceits, and all that now remains to be done is to write the play Mr. Hoyt saw that the captain's personality could draw 10,000 people to a ball game. If this were so, he contended, why could he not draw 20,000 people to a play? The play will probably be put on this winter. With Anson this matter will be a serious undertaking He realizes that it is no child's play to be an actor, and will study hard to make a success on the stage

An Old Maid Society

At Milford, Conn, thirty years ago and more, fifty ladies of the First Church formed a society of old maids, every one of whom vowed that they would never marry Each member paid $5 on admission, the interest on the principal thus raised to be expended in annual dinners, while the principal was to go to the one who remained unmarried the longest

In the three decades which have succeeded all but fifteen of the original fifty have married, and as the storms of sixty winters have whitened the hair of the faithful, it looks as if they would stick. It is a question who will outlive all the others and receive the reward, which now amounts to nearly $1,000. Last night they had their annual dinner

Next Week

Seats will be placed on sale Friday for the County Fair engagement Monday and Tuesday nights at the Grand So much has been said and written about this comedy that little remains to be told It bears a record of a three years run at the Union Square Theater, New York, and will be presented here exactly as in the metropolis, with a fine company and complete scenic environments

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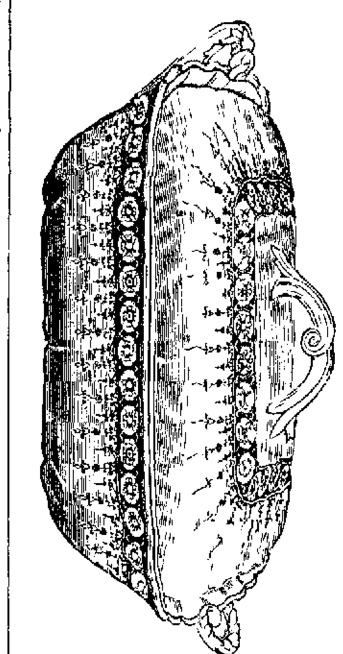

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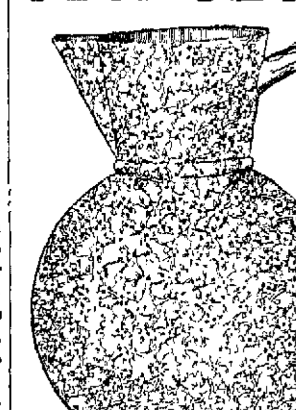

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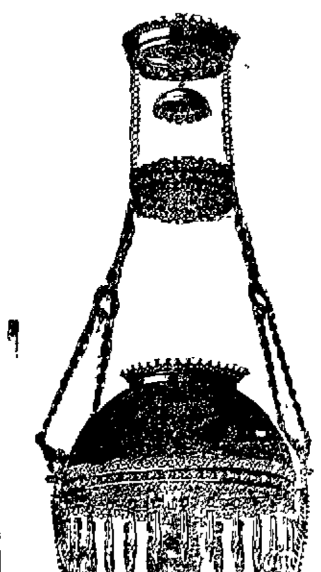

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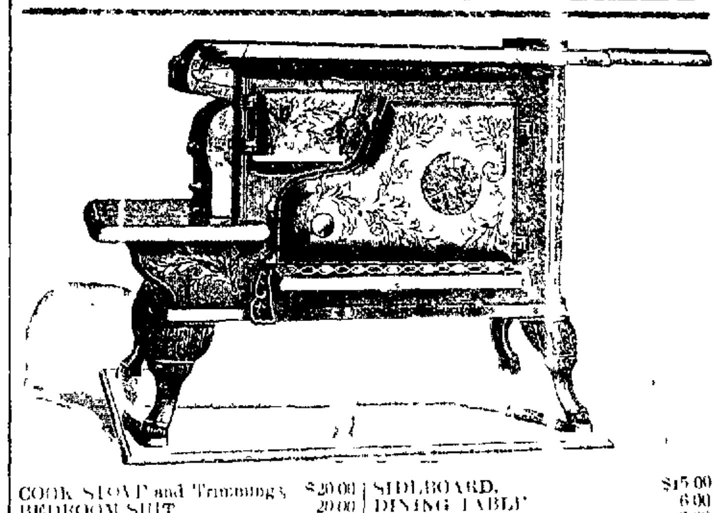

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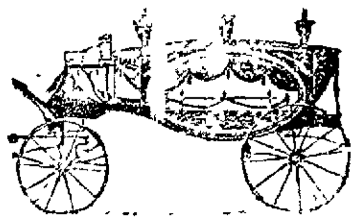

JAMES M LEE, Atty for Plaintiffs

ATTACHMENT NOTICE State of Illinois, Macon county ss. In the Circuit Court, ... [illegible] ... Lansford S Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as ... [illegible] ... to the September term of the said circuit court of said Macon county, in which said court suit is now pending Now, therefore, you, the said Lansford S Butler and Frank W Dempsey are hereby notified that a suit entitled as above has been commenced and is now pending against you in said court for the amount above stated, and that the writ therein has been levied on your estate, and unless you shall be and appear at said court at the next September term thereof, to be holden in the city of Decatur in said Macon county, on the fourth Monday in the month of September, A D 1891, give bail and plead within the time limited for your appearance in such case, judgment will be entered against you and the estate so attached will be sold to satisfy the sum. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk. sl1-3w

JAMES M. LEE Attorney for Plaintiff

State of Illinois, Macon County, ss. In the Circuit Court, to the September term, A. D 1891. ... [illegible] ... Frank W. Dempsey, ... against the estate of Lansford S Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as ... [illegible] ... sum of fifty dollars and seventy five cents, ... a writ of attachment issued out of the Clerk's office, returnable to the September term of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, in which court suit is now pending Now, therefore, you, the said Lansford S Butler and Frank W Dempsey, are hereby notified that a suit entitled as above has been commenced and is now pending against you, in said court, for the amount above stated, and that a writ therein has been levied on your estate, and that unless you shall be and appear at said court at the next September term thereof, to be holden in the city of Decatur, in said Macon county, on the fourth Monday in the month of September, A. D. 1891, give bail and plead, within the time limited for your appearance in such case, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be sold to satisfy the sum. sept11-d3w E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

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CARROLL JOHNSON in "The Gossoon" Friday night at the Grand.

OYSTERS, raw, stewed or fried, at Wood's, 112 Merchant street.

FINEST quadruple perfumes for the handkerchief at Ralph Templeton's pharmacy. 16d1w

JUSTICE CURTIS has put a new sign on his office window. It reads, "Club Room."

BICYCLES for *less than cost* this week at Bicycle Headquarters, No. 114 Library Block. sept22-d&w6w

Two disorderlies were fined $3 and costs yesterday afternoon by Justice Provost.

MR. CREWS, of Indianapolis, is at the Hotel Brunswick under the care of Dr. Spalding.

REV. J. T. PENDER has been returned to Bement as the pastor of the Methodist church at that town.

TAKE the children to Riverside Park to-night to enjoy the musical and trick entertainment in the theater.

TO-DAY a marriage license was granted to Ernest E. Wangelin, of Belleville, Ill., and Miss Jessie Rachel Steele, of Decatur.

FRUITS for canning and preserves, fresh country butter and spring chickens are specialties at May & Churchman's grocery store.

THE famous Irish comedian, Carroll Johnson, supported by a strong company, will appear at the Grand Friday night in "The Gossoon."

JAMES BRYASS of Edinborough University will give a talk on "Scottish Thought and Customs" at the Congregational church this evening.

THE famous Haines upright pianos and the favorite Packard organs are on sale only at C. B. Prescott's music store. Learn the low prices and easy terms.

LOWELL carpets, bodies and ingrains the handsomest and best in the United States, received direct from the mills by Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Company.

FOR PHILLIPS is again good to his friends presenting them with little folders to hold postage stamps, gifts sent out by the United States Mutual Accident Association.

BEN JONES was fined $3 and costs by Justice Hammer for indulging in a plain drunk. Walter Beckham was also assessed a similar sum for engaging in a like offense.

THE plat of C. W. Battles' sub-division has been filed for record. The addition embraces 22 lots, located between Union and Church streets north of Pugh street, and south of Centre street.

THERE will be an open meeting, under the auspices of the I. O. G. T., at Sargent's chapel to-night. An interesting program, including good music, has been arranged. All are invited.

THERE was one initiation at the meeting of the Decatur Lodge of Good Templars last night. The lodge audited nearly $200 in claims for fitting up the lodge room in superb style.

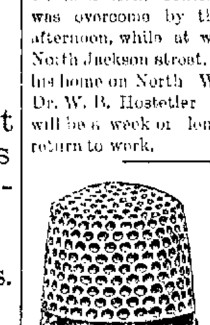
ORANGE LILY cures ulceration and all weakness, no matter of how long standing. The great female remedy. Price, one month's treatment, $1.00. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler, druggists.

TO-NIGHT at the Riverside Park theater the original Swiss Bell Ringers and Concert company will appear. The specialties will be Hernachis, the magician, the crystal chime players and the band and orchestra. See it all for 10 cents.

OUR fall lines of dinner ware are now in and displayed on our second floor. We show 45 shapes in dinner sets, twice as many as shown by any "crockery house" in Central Illinois. Come up and see how low the price is. Otto E. Curtis & Bro.

TO-DAY W. H. Bramble lost one of his tenants, and this week two other tenants are to go. They can not stand the nuisance of the Union street sewer outlet. The outrage on decency and health ought to be abated at once. Slop barrels are not in it with that sewer nuisance.

CHARLES DEETZ, of the firm of Chas. Deetz & Son, contracting brick-layers, was overcome by the heat yesterday afternoon, while at work at a house on North Jackson street. He was taken to his home on North Water street, where Dr. W. B. Hostetler attended him. It will be a week or longer before he can return to work.



Aluminum thimbles — two-thirds lighter than silver; seven times tougher than silver; never tarnishes like silver; one-half the price of silver.—Every lady wants one. Price 25c at Otto E. Curtis & Bro's.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. J. N. Bills has returned from Chicago.

Miss Nellie Calhoun returned to-day from Latham.

Mrs. F. M. Cox is visiting relatives in Springfield, O.

Contractor C. A. Moses returned to Chicago yesterday.

W. E. Higgins and wife are at Champaign visiting relatives.

Virge Keller is spending his vacation with his parents in Argenta.

Frank W. Greene, of the Wabash, will soon take a trip to Mobile, Ala.

Rev. D. T. Black went to Mt. Vernon to-day to hold religious services.

Walter E. Nims, of Nokomis, has accepted a position at the Templeton pharmacy.

Mrs. W. H. Addis departed to-day for Chenoa, Ill., where she will visit with friends.

Bob Cook, in the interest of the Advance Thresher company, went to Indianapolis on business to-day.

Walter S. Mayo arrived in the city today from St. Louis, to attend the Wangelin-Steele wedding this evening.

Mrs Zareker, who has been in the city visiting Mrs. B. O. McReynolds, has returned to her home in Elkton, Ky.

W. H. Bramble has returned from a week's outing at Michigan City, Mich. He was ill nearly every day he was gone.

Conductor Charles Morgan, of the Wabash dining car service, who runs from Lafayette to Fort Wayne, is here visiting friends and relatives.

T. M. Hobart, cashier of the Terre Haute & Peoria road, arrived home to-day from Ohio, where he visited his family for several days.

C. C. Stoddard departed last night for Sandusky, O., where he was called by the sudden illness of his father-in-law, S. B. Massey, at that place.

J. W. Sturgis, of Macon, was in the city to-day. He reports his father, Dr. Wm. Sturgis, in a very critical condition, with no hope of recovery.

Miss Emma Hord, of Virden, arrived in the city last evening. She will keep house for her brothers, Harry and Ed Hord, on North Union street.

Miss Jessie Lockett, of Georgetown, is in the city visiting Dr. R. L. Walston and family. She was present at the Chubb Walston wedding to-day.

E. L. Pegram and sisters, Misses Anna and Bessie, of Lincoln, Ill., are in the city visiting A. T. Summers and family. They attended the Chubb Walston wedding this morning.

Champaign *Gazette*: Judge C. B. Smith has been sick in Minneapolis for some time, but is now reported better. Mrs. Smith is also improved, and it is expected that they will both arrive home this week.

Thomas Barrows Jack and Frank Hamsher will leave to-night for Ann Arbor, Mich., to enter the Michigan University. The former goes by Chicago and the latter will stop over in Detroit for a short visit.

Miss Rosa Kistner who has resided in Decatur for the last two years, has gone to her home near Saylor Springs, Ill., To make preparations for her marriage next month to a prosperous young farmer near that place. Her many friends here regret her departure, but wish her all manner of happiness.

Dr. B. Tobey, of Macon, has returned from Dayton, O., where he attended, the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Hull. Dr. Tobey has sold to Dr. W. R. Boggs of Caldwell, O., his residence property at Macon. He has taken Dr. Boggs, into partnership in the practice of medicine in this county. Their office will be in Macon.

Sales of Real Estate.

R. L. Walston to C. W. Battles and Mary E. Leforgee, deed to south half of lots 11 and 12, in 10, 16, 2 east, except 60x130 feet in lot 10; also lot 12, $2500.

Mary E. Leforgee to C. W. Battles, quit claim to undivided one-half of lots 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22, C. W. Battles' sub-division, $1.00.

C. W. Battles and Mary Leforgee to Philip Vogel, deed to lot 22, Battles' sub-division, $1,000.

C. M. Allison and Harry Hord to William F. Hill, deed to lot 2, North Park addition, $500.

Adam Vogel to C. W. Battles, deed to tract of land in 10, 16, 2 east, $1,000.

James G. Logans to Malinda V. Mason, deed to tract of land in 14, 16, 2 east, $1025.

John H. Davidson to Stanley Tucker, deed to 40 acres in 6, 15, 1 east, $1,000.

Sarah B. Lee to Samuel Gerber, deed to lot 7 in Rogers' 1st addition to Argenta, $1,000.

C. H. Boutenhorn to E. D. Carter, deed to lot 9, P. M. Wikoff's addition, $1250.

C. W. Battles to Mary E. Leforgee, quit claim to undivided one-half interest in lots 1 to 15, in Battles' sub division, $1.00.

Samuel Weaver to Wm. P. Batt, the north half of the northeast quarter of 19, 17, 2 east, $1,000.

George W. Handy to James Coop, lot 16, R. F. Kincaid's addition to Decatur, $425.

Ichabod Baldwin to Robert Morris, 15 feet off the east side of lot 7, and 20 feet off the west side of lot 8, in block 8, of Western addition to Decatur, $4500.

G. W. McFarland to Chas. W. Montgomery, his undivided one-third interest in lot 14, of the assessor's sub-division of the west half of the southwest quarter of 14, 16, 2 east; also lots 1 and 2, in block 4, Oglesby & Wait's addition to Decatur, Consideration not named.

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We offer everything in ladies', misses, and children's slippers and oxfords at actual cost, and many things at less than cost to manufacture.

To make room for our fall stock.

Men's low cut shoes at prices lower than you ever heard of before.

Remember, this is a genuine benefit sale and you should not fail to take advantage of it.

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To Housekeepers.

If your carpet sweeper takes up the nap, give it to the children to "play horse" with, and get a "Charm" or "Ohio" sweeper, of the Lytle & Eckels Hardware Co. You will save money by so doing. aug-tfd

Bookkeeping at Night.

The best and cheapest instruction in bookkeeping at Brown's Decatur Business College, Library Building. Opens Monday night, Sept. 28.

UNCLE DAVID GARVER DEAD.

One of the Oldest Settlers of Macon County Passes Away in Oregon.

The news was received to-day of the death of Uncle David Garver, who passed away on Monday, Sept. 21, in Oregon, where he had been spending the summer, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Annie Diehl. There are no particulars of his last hours; but it has been known generally to REPUBLICAN readers that Mr. Garver has been in failing health for a number of years, caused by the burden of time. He died at the age of 82 years, the end of an honored life of rectitude and usefulness. He came to Macon county in 1840 and turned his attention to farming pursuits, and soon amassed a fortune. At one time he was interested largely in the present Hatfield mill. He has been president of the Garver Family Reunion Association since its first meeting in 1885, and was re-elected to the same position last August, though he was not present in person. His children are F. M. Garver and David M. Garver, of Decatur; Mrs. J. Schock, of Oreana, and Abraham Garver, who resides in the west, Mrs. Barbara Gannon, of Decatur, and Andrew M. Garver, of Oakley.

Mr. Garver was born in Lancaster county, Pa., May 11, 1809. In Dauphin county in 1830, the deceased married Mary Maleborn; the couple lived in Pennsylvania until 1840. Seven children were born to them, and all arrived in Macon county July 13, 1840, in company with Joseph Rife and George Gepford. They came through in wagons, and were on the road eight weeks. Mr. Garver, as above stated, located in Whitmore township. He became a stock raiser, and also engaged in the improvement of farms; he built seven farm houses. He had been school trustee, school director and school treasurer, and was one of the commissioners appointed to lay off the county into townships in company with John Racker and James Dingman. There were ten children in the family.

David Garver was at the head of one of the oldest and most numerous families in Macon county. He was a descendant of Jacob Gerber, a native of Switzerland, who came to America in 1730 and settled in Lancaster county, Pa. One of Jacob's three sons was Jacob Gerber, whose children came to Illinois. One of the sons, Christian Gerber, married an English woman and the family name was changed by the wife to Garver. He was the father of the original Garvers of this county. His children were John, Jacob, David, Samuel, Christian, Elizabeth, Nancy, Rachel and Barbara Garver. Uncle David was the only survivor of the Christian Garver branch of the family. He, with John, Jacob and Christian Garver formed the Garver settlement north-east of Decatur 50 years ago.

The remains of Mr. Garver will arrive in Decatur from Oregon on Saturday next.

THE concertists, Knoll and McNeil, who are to play at the Musicale to be given at the Congregational church next Tuesday evening, have recently filled an engagement at the St. Louis Exposition. The *Post-Dispatch* said of them:

The popular success of A. H. Knoll and Miss Marie McNeil, the concertists, receives added emphasis with each successive day of the Exposition season, and their reception is gratifying in its enthusiasm. In addition to their regular numbers they responded to recall after recall. Miss McNeil has beyond doubt become the Exposition favorite.

J. W. LOFTHOUSE, at Kelso, N. D., the other day put a little over 5,000 bushels of No. 1 hard wheat in the elevators from his 143 acres. He sold it for $4,500. He bought the farm last winter and paid $2,100 for it, and now after working it for one season he has the land, stock and machinery paid for out of his crop and has over $1,000 in the bank to boot. Yet the Democratic orators out that way tell him that he is a ruined man already, or nearly so.

"FARMER" COLTRIN has proven himself a success as a fruit grower on his place on North Union street. To his intimate friends he has modestly presented specimens of magnificently developed fall peaches, which the experienced reporter pronounces the finest ever grown in a city orchard.

THIS evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hopkins, at Elwin, will occur the marriage of Miss Lula Hopkins and B. L. Rosebraugh, of Charleston, a gentleman who was formerly in the agricultural implement business, but has bought land and will engage in farming.

Painters' Meeting.

The journeymen painters will meet on Friday night. September 25th, at Cigarmakers' Hall, with the view of perfecting an organization. All journeymen painters are urged to be present. 22-d2t

Decatur Templars on the Keeley Cure.

Decatur lodge of Good Templars discussed the Keeley cure for drunkenness last night, briefly but in a pointed manner. The drift of the conclusions was that the great work of Good Templary is to educate the young so that they will never become inebriates and to make a public sentiment which will close the dram shop, at the same time extending as much help as possible to the inebriate to enable him to reform. It was suggested that sufficient time has not elapsed since its establishment to demonstrate whether the bi-chloride of gold cure is permanent or only temporary.

During the evening Miss Florence Bradley gave a fine recitation.

Bradley—Mason.

F. O. Bradley, son of Anderson Bradley, of this city, was married at the Holy Trinity church at Lincoln, Neb., on Monday, September 21st, to Miss Bessie Mason, daughter of the late Judge O. P. Mason, of that city. Rev. Hewett was the officiating clergyman. Mr. Bradley is business manager for the J. H. O'Neill plumbing establishment at Lincoln, and is a most exemplary young man. Mr. and Mrs. Bradley are here now visiting the groom's parents, at 1676 North Water street. Before their return home to Nebraska they will visit in Chicago and other places of interest in the east.

Grand Larceny.

Elmer Harness, a stranger, was arrested last evening by Officer Baylor, on a warrant charging him with the theft of a lot of clothing belonging to Peter Hoffman, a carpenter, who boards at the Franklin house on East Cerro Gordo street. Harness had secured lodging at the Franklin house, and when Hoffman was away Harness entered Hoffman's room and breaking into his trunk carried off a lot of clothing. Now he is in jail awaiting the action of the grand jury.

Celebrated.

The colored people of Springfield observed Emancipation day yesterday with the usual parade and with an old-fashioned picnic at Oakridge Park. Many visitors were present from Jacksonville, Decatur, and Champaign. At the afternoon exercises addresses were delivered by Attorney-General George Hunt and John C. Mathis, Assistant United States District-Attorney. Last evening another meeting was held, at which several addresses were made and a concert was given.

The Committee is Out.

At the regular meeting of Dunham Post No. 141, G. A. R., held at the post hall last night, the question of the collection of Decatur contributions for the National Memorial Hall was brought up and Comrades Johnson, Steele and Hays were selected to collect the money, which amounts to between $1,100 and $1,200. The committee is also authorized to receive new contributions.

An Afflicted Family.

Jordan Burkey of Samar Mo, a former resident of Niantic and brother of Geo. Hunsley, buried his daughter Ella one month ago, and to-day Mr. Hunsley received a telegram from Burkey which conveys the sad news that his daughter Ida who visited Hunsley's last fall and winter is dying.

Musicale.

The ladies of the Congregational church have been fortunate enough to secure A. H. Knoll and Miss Marie McNeil, the eminent concert soloists and duetists. They will be heard in a musicale to be given at the church on Tuesday evening, Sept. 29, assisted by some of the best local talent. Admission 50c.

Confessed.

George Baker, of Catlin, was arrested Saturday night for attempting to wreck a Wabash train Saturday night by placing ties on a bridge near Danville. He confessed his guilt. Detective Ballard, of the Wabash, made the arrest.

MARRIED.

By 'Squire W. L. Hammer at his office Sept. 22, Richard Thain and Miss Carrie Wilkerson, both of Decatur.

By 'Squire W. L. Hammer, at his office Sept. 22, Albert C. Weiss and Miss Nellie Sullivan, both of Decatur.

Shorthand and Longhand Cheap.

The best and cheapest instruction ever offered in this city in penmanship, shorthand and typewriting can be had at Brown's Decatur Business College Night School. Opens Monday night, Sept. 28.

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How many a young wife's heart has been saddened by hearing the above remark! And yet how often the words are true; especially when cake, pastry or bread is in question! The reason is plain, yet it is "like telling a secret."

Our mothers used and are using Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. They cannot be misled into using any of the ammonia or alum powders. No dyspepsia no sallow complexions, when mother did the cooking.

The first symptoms of ammonia poisoning, says a New York paper, which appear among those who work in ammonia factories, is a discoloration of the nose and forehead. This gradually extends over the face until the complexion has a stained, blotched and unsightly appearance.

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Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is reported by all authorities as free from Ammonia, Alum, or any other adulterant. In fact the purity of this ideal powder has never been questioned.

CHUBB—WALSTON.

A Quiet Wedding on North Main Street.

MARRIED—By Judge W. E. Nelson, Miss Louise Walston, of this city, and Mr. Percival Chubb, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, on Wednesday, September 23d, at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Walston, No. 422 North Main street, in the presence of the family and the immediate friends of the bride. The groom's home is in Newcastle-on-Tyne, England. He is a professor of ethical culture, a student and scholar. The bride is well known in this city. She is a lady of many accomplishments and is a graduate of Smith College, Northampton, Mass.

The wedding breakfast was served under the direction of the well-known caterer, Mrs. Guyton, and was a most elaborate spread. The tables were very prettily and appropriately decorated with goldenrod, the American national flower, and the pink rose, which has the same distinction in England. The decorations throughout the parlors were of pink and yellow.

The bride was attired in a neat-fitting traveling costume of two shades of brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Chubb departed on the noon train for Lake Geneva, Wis., where they will spend the honeymoon. They will go to Chicago Oct. 2d, where Mr. Chubb is engaged to lecture on that date and the 7th of October, after which they will go to Brooklyn, N. Y., to reside, where cards will be sent out announcing that they will be "at home" after Oct. 9th.

During Mr. Chubb's several visits to this city he has won for himself many warm friends, who will congratulate him in his securing for a life companion and helpmeet one of Decatur's most charming young ladies. All unite with the REPUBLICAN in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Chubb unlimited happiness and prosperity.

FATALITY AT CHICAGO.

[Special to the REPUBLICAN.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 23—Three boys, Peter Foster, Ernest Garles and one known as George, were killed at the Stock Yards to-day by the lumber of a car on which they were playing falling on them. Foster was from Valparaiso, Ind., Garles from Denver, and George from near this city.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by B. Z. Taylor, Secretary Decatur Grain Company:

LIVE STOCK—Estimated receipts—
Hogs—18,000; steady.
Cattle—14,000; slow.

GRAIN—Car lots—
Wheat 290; Corn 425; Oats 270.

	SEPT.	DEC.	MAY.
WHEAT	$ .95⅛	$ .98¼	$1.01⅜
CORN	.49	.49	.42¼
OATS	.——	Oct .26⅞	.30⅝

	OCT.	JAN.
PORK	$10.02	$12.57
LARD	6.70	6.95
RIBS	6.95	6.65

BY the way, the only stock of American tin in Decatur is not now nailed on a door-post in the REPUBLICAN office. An agent sold several bills of American tin to dealers in Decatur yesterday. This, of course, makes the senior and junior Democratic organs of this city feel as if they had been successfully vaccinated and wanted everybody to keep away from their sore arms.

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From the Delineator for September.

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Sept 22-dtf

GREAT SACRIFICE * SALE

—OF—

Ladies' Wraps and Blankets!

The bursting of a water pipe over our store flooded our Cloak Room and the basement containing our Blankets, wetting hundreds of Cloaks and Blankets ENOUGH TO RENDER THEIR SALE ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY, and consequently they will be sold AT A SACRIFICE that will enable the people to obtain

GREAT * BARGAINS

The sale began Monday Morning, and those wishing to take advantage of the same will do well to call early in order to avoid the crush.

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Dry Goods and Carpet Company,

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GREAT SALE

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Our price on exactly the same shoe,

$4.50.

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